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Title

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MEASURING
FEATURES OF A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

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 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
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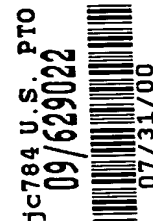
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